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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
JEAN-JACQUES MOREAU ET AL. ) Examiner: K.Y. Poon  
Application No.: 09/420,777 ) TC/Art Unit: 2624  
Filed: October 19, 1999 )  
For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR )  
PREDICTING THE QUALITY OF )  
PRINTING PRODUCT )  
AVAILABLE IN A PRINTER )  
AND NECESSARY FOR )  
PRINTING A DOCUMENT ) March 2, 2004

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed PTO-1449 form. Copies of the listed documents also are enclosed.

An explanation of relevance for JP 62-158049 is given in the English abstract attached thereto.

The Examiner's attention also is directed to the following U.S. application:

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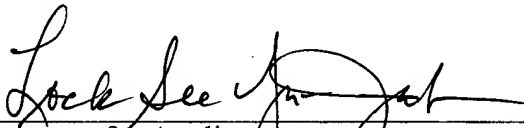
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A copy of the application as originally filed is enclosed. Attached to the end of the copy of the application is a copy of the pending claims to date, which have been allowed.

It is respectfully requested that the enclosed information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the PTO-1449 form be returned indicating that the listed documents have been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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